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*Measles.*—The malady is epidemic at Pitoniano and San Vito (Rome), at Cesena (Forli), at Palmoli (Chieti), and Latiano (Lecce). In the last-named commune there were reported 800 cases.

*Enteric fever.*—Few cases.

*Epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis.*—Cases were reported in the Provinces of Cosenza, Avellino, Rome, Catania, and Lecce.

The number of cases of infectious diseases in Italy for the month of January, 1905, was as follows: Measles, 13,351; scarlatina, 1,089; smallpox, 657; enteric fever, 1,385; diphtheria, 2,105; puerperal fever, 288; pulmonary tuberculosis, 499; pellagra, 280; hydrophobia, 2; anthrax, 114, and glanders, 2.

#### MEXICO.

##### *Reports from Progreso—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Weather conditions.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Harrison reports, June 2, as follows:

During the week ended June 2, 1905, no quarantinable disease was reported in Progreso or Merida; deaths from other causes not learned, but will be reported next week; weather remains warm and dry, but tempered by almost constant sea breeze and occasional rains.

The following-named vessels have been dispatched:

May 28, steamship *Vigilancia*, New York, via Habana, crew 79, passengers from Progreso 54 (to New York 13); steamship *Progreso*, Texas City, crew 25, was fumigated. May 30, steamship *Floridian*, New Orleans, crew 42, passengers in transit to Europe 5, was fumigated. May 31, steamship *Acworth*, New York, crew 23.

Period from May 27 to June 9. No quarantinable disease has been reported here or in Merida. In Progreso there have been 11 deaths from the following causes: Athrepsia, 1; railway accident, 1; dysentery, 3; malarial fever, 1; tuberculosis (intestinal), 1; worms, 1; dentition, 1; paralysis, 1.

Mosquitoes are not numerous or annoying and are seldom seen aboard ship here, even at wharf.

Ships cleared: June 3, steamship *Sahara*, New Orleans; crew, 31; was fumigated and sealed. June 4, steamship *Havan*, New York via Habana; crew, 100; passengers from Progreso, 67 (to New York 35). June 8, steamship *Helvetia*, New Orleans; crew, 35; was fumigated and sealed. June 9, steamship *Tjomo*, New York via Campeche; crew, 18.

##### *Report from Tampico—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Mortuary statistics.*

Acting Assistant Surgeon Frick reports, June 12, as follows:

Week ended June 10, 1905. Inspected and passed, 3 steamships; personnel (crews), 125; passengers, 3. Fumigated and passed, steamships, 1.

##### *Mortuary report.*

Remittent fever, 1; nephritis, 1; alcoholism, 1; diarrheal-enteritis, 1; railroad accident, 1; pneumonia, 3; pulmonary tuberculosis, 2; military tuberculosis, 1; intestinal tuberculosis, 1; ulcerative stomatitis, 1;